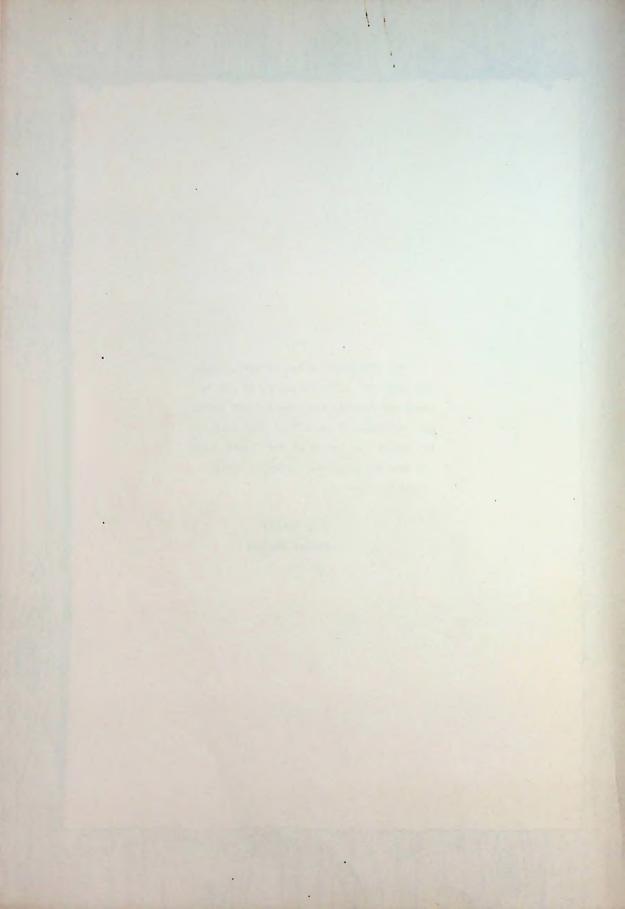


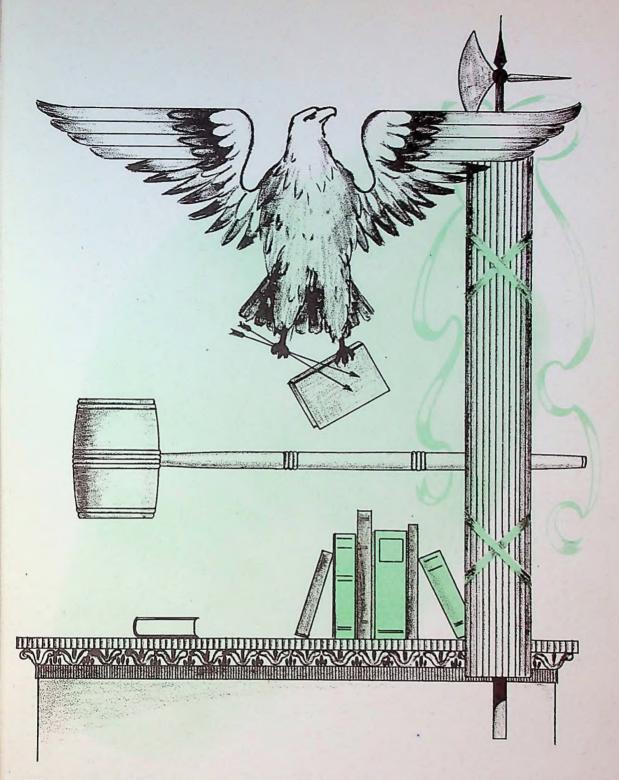
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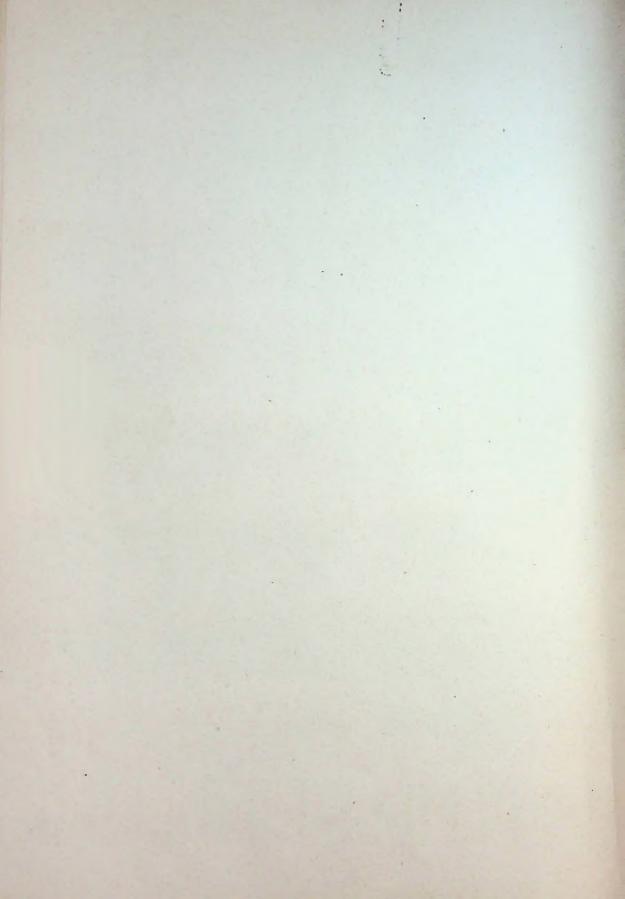
We, the Senior Class of 1947, dedicate this, the sixth Fortress, to our Fathers and Mothers who have labored without ceasing, and sacrificed much that we may finish our course at Fort Ashby High and thus be prepared to enjoy the more abundant life.

Paul Shafer Thelma Wagoner





## ADMINISTRATION



Faculty



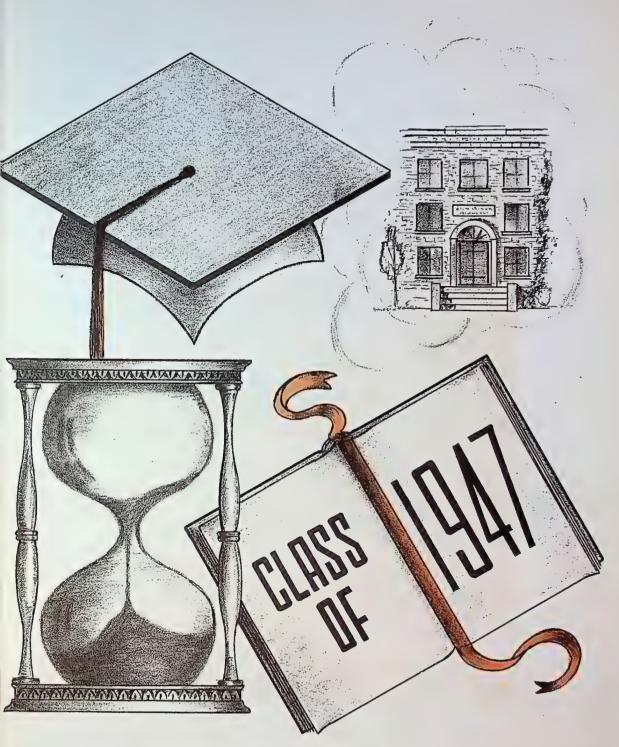
Mrs. Laura Marks Mathematics A. B. Degree Miss Flora Swecker Social Studies M. A. Degree

Miss Mary J. Abbott Science A. B. Degree Miss Anne Shores English A. B. Degree

Coach "Tom" Small Commercial & Athletic B. S. Degree Miss Helen H. Pownall English A. B. Degree

Mr. J. P. Judy Principal M. A. Degree Miss Dorothy Haines Home Economics B. S. H. Degree





SENIORS





Paul Douglas Shafer
"Sunshine"
"I love fools' experiments.
am always making them."

Football '47. Basketball '45' 46' 47. Athletic Club '46. Track '46' 47. Glee Club '45' 46' 47. Class Play '46. Sect. '45' 47. Year Book Staff.



Glee

Basketball '46. Athletic Club

Club '45 '46 '47. Future Home

'46. Cheerleader '47.

Makers '44. Class Play

School Patrol '44 '45.

"Slight not what's near, through aiming at what's far."

Imogene Florence Cox

"S1S"

Betty Josephine Barnes
Betty Jo
"There is no wisdom libfrankness."

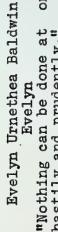
Athletic Club '46. Cheerleader '47. Glee Club '44 '45' '46' Vice Pres' '47. Class Play '46. Fortress Staff.





George Earle Boore

"Whatever sceptic could inquire for, for every why he had a wherefore." Football '45 '46 '47. Track '44 '45 '46 '47. Athletic Club'46. Glee Club '46 '47. Class Play '46.



"Nothing can be done at once hastily and prudently."

Glee Club '45'46'47. Future Home Makers'44.





"Buzz"
"Saying is one thing, doing another."

Robert Lee Wetzel

Basketball '46 '47. Football '47. Athletic Club '46. Glee Club '46 '47. Class Play'46.





Alma Lee Adams
"Jake"
"Tradition wears a snowy beard,
romance is always young."

Basketball '44 '45' 47. Cheer-leader '46' 47. Athletic Club '46. Glee Club '44' 45' 46' 47. Sect.'46. Vice-Pres.'45. Pres.'47. Class Play'46. Future Home Makers '44. Band '47.



Glee Club '45 '46 '47. Class Play '46. Treasurer '47. Fort-

Staff.

Play ress

"A daughter of the gods, divinely tall, and most divine-

ly fair."

Anna Elizabeth Long "Betty"

Helen Louise Senn
"Lefty"
"She is a little chimney and heated hot in a moment."

Basketball '45'46'47. Glee Club'45' Class Play' 46. Future Home Makers' '44.



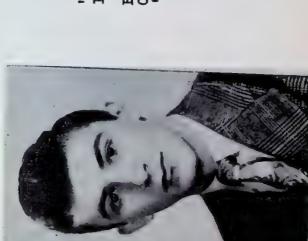


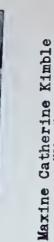
Jean Lois Borror
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MKnowledge comes, but wisdom

Athletic Club '46. Glee Club '45 '46 '47. Class Play '46.



Football '45 '46 '47.
Basketball '44 '45 '46 '47.
Athletic Club '46
Track '45 '46 '47. Glee Club '46 '47. Pres. '45.





"The vow that binds too strictly snaps itself."

Basketball '45 '46 '47. Glee. Club '45 '46 '47. Class Play '46.





Kathleen Joy Anderson
"Kay"
"The love of learning, the sequestered nooks, and all the sweet serenity of books."

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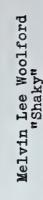


Football '45. Basketball '47. Track '45. Glee Club '46 '47. Class Play '46. Band '47.

go

"No one knows what he can till he tries."

Edgell Sherwood Long "Charlie"



"For he by geometric scale, could take the size of pots of ale."

Football '45 '46 '47. Basket-ball '45 '46 '47. Athletic Club '46. Track '45 '46 '47. Glee Club '46 '47. Treas.'46. Year book Staff. Class Play





Harold Berkley Umstot Harold "Who can wrestle against Sleep? Yet is that glant very gentleness."

Football '45 '46 '47. Glee Club '46 '47. Track '45.

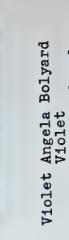


Glee Club '45 '46 '47. Class Play '46. Patrolman.

Miriam Virginia Livengood "Gig"

"Wait, thou child of hope, for Time shall teach thee

all things."



"It is a very hard undertaking to seek to please everybody."

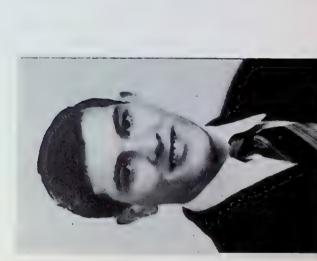
Glee Club '45 '46 '47. Class Play '46. Future Home Makers '44.





"It matters not what you are thought to be, but what you are." Charles Edward Davis

Football '46'47. Athletic Club '46. Glee Club '46'47.



Glee Club '45 '46 '47. Class Play '46. Future Home Makers

"We desire nothing so much as what we ought not to have."

Marion Isabel Anderson "Issie"

"A good book is the best of friends, the same today and for ever." Helen Elnora Abe Helen

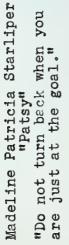
Glee Club '45 '46 '47. Future Home Makers '44. Class Play





Paul Ray Twigg Paul "Faint heart ne'er won fair lady."

Glee Club '46 '47.



Basketball '44 '45 '46 '47. Cheerleader '45 '46 '47. Athletic Club '46. Future Home Makers '44. Class Play



Donald Vearl Brooke
"Sonny"
"A good heart is better than
all the heads in the world."

Football '47. Glee Club '45'





"Never promise more than you can perform." Betty Lou Davis Betty

Glee Club '45 '46 '47. Class Play '46. Future Home Makers '44.



"Hitch your wagon to a star." Charles Wendell Bohrer "Pickles"

Basketball '45 '46 '47. Football '45 '46 '47. Athletic Club '46. Class Play '46. Track '47.



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much wit, he was very shy

using it.

"We grant,

"Dick" although he had

Richard Lee Deremer

Manager Football '46, Basket-ball '45 '46 '47. Track '46' 47. 4thletic Club '46. Class

Play'46.Yearbook Staff. Foot-ball '45.





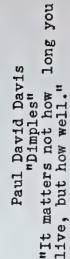
Bernard Edgar Douthitt
"Chicken"
"The magic of the tongue is
the most dangerous of all
spells."

Football Manager '45'46. Basketball'47. Athletic Glub'46. Glee Club'46'47. Treasurer'46. Band'47.

Thelma June Wagoner
"Etz"
"Thelma, like all good women,
has a temper of her own."

Basketball '44 '45 '46 '47. Athletic Club '46. Track '45. Glee Club '45 '46 '47. Class Play '46.





Football '45 '46 '47. Basket-ball '45. Track '45 '47. Athletic Club '46. Glee Club '46. '47. Class Play'46. Band '47.







Dorothy Alena Rexrode Dorothy "Well-timed silence hath more eloquence than speech." Glee Club '45'46'47. Future Home Makers'44.

Fred Wetzel Wagoner Fred "Patience is a necessary ingredient of genius."

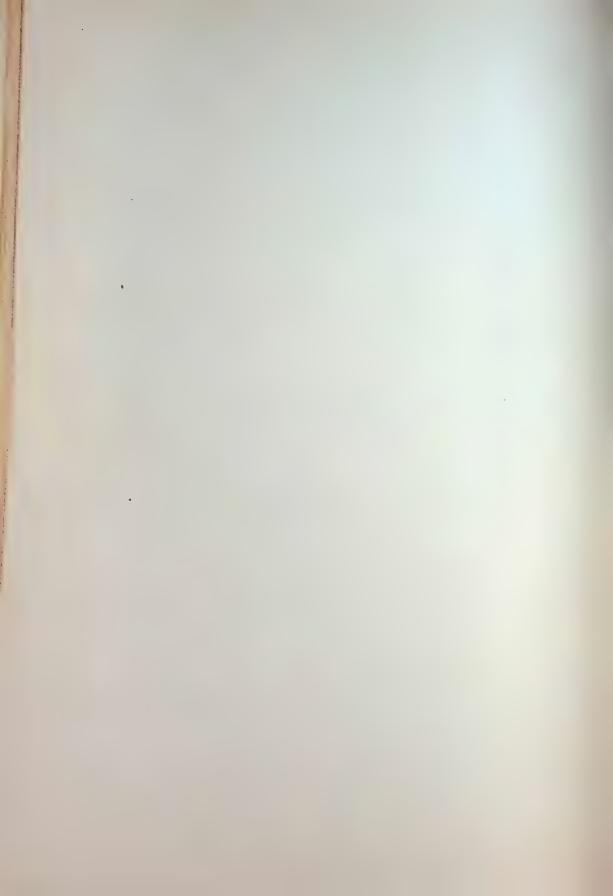
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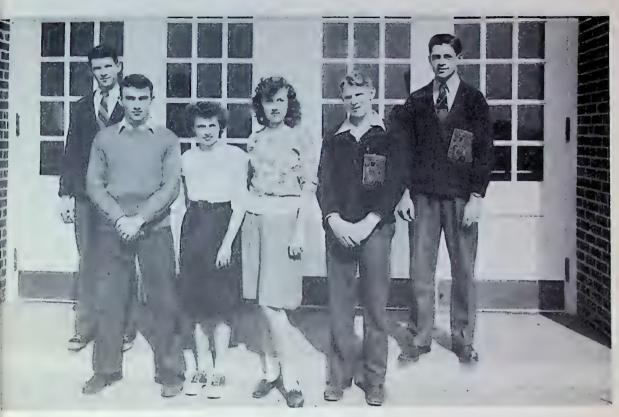




June Josephine Senn
June
June
"No one should be judge in
his own cause."

Basketball '45'46. Athletic Club'46. Glee Club'45'46'46'47. Future Home Makers'44. Class Play'46.





## Zearbook Staff

Melvin Woolford - Editor

Betty Long - Assistant Editor

Betty Jo Barnes - Typing Editor

Dick Deremer - Business Manager

Paul Shafer - Advertising Manager

Donald Linn - Sports Editor



## Class Prophese

As our gypsy fortune teller, Marko, gazed into the gyrsy campfire, he saw visions of 1955 and the lives of our present seniors. His eyes were dreamy when he saw Alma as head mortician at Hafer's Funeral Home. He forcasted you could find the best beauty treatment in town at Kay and Jean's Beauty Salon.

At Camp Lee, Virginia, he saw Privates Paul Twigg, Ed Davis, and Fred Wagoner reporting to Sergeant RobertLee Wetzel for K.P. Duty.

Marko advised that you tune in WWVA for the Rexrode Roundup featuring Dorothy as starsinger; and the nine o'clock "Hit-Parade" for Wendell Bohrer singing the latest hit tune.

Marko predicted that Secretary Betty Jo would be working in a Dentist's office for a tall dark haired dentist. He saw Helen Senn & Secretary to head Dietitian at Memorial Hospital.

The gypsy told of rival taxi-services in Fort Ashby and Short Gap, Shafer's Speedy Service and Douthitt Doubtful Driving.

Donald Brooke is owner of the most prosperous Dairy Farm in the Fort Ashby Region.

He saw Richard Lee Deremer running against Earle Boore for Mayor of Fort Ashby.

The fortune teller reported that the neatest, most comfortable house in Fort Ashby was kept by Mrs. Eugene Clayton.

The nation's latestsensational pianist, Melvin Woolford, will play, Gershwin's "Rhapsody in Blue."

That smart looking girl in the green suit is government worker, Helen Abe.

It seems to Violet and Evelyn that they say "pleasantly", "Number Please", at least 500 times a day, since they became telephone operators.

For a glimpse of Isabel, Marko looked into Rosenbaum's where she works behind the cosmetic counter.



That plump little housewife visioned in the campfire is Betty Lou Davis.

The Seer fortold of a glorious winning streak in Fort Ashby's Football Season. Coached by Donnie Linn, the Eagles are making football history.

Light was added to the campfire by the sparkling diamond on Imogene's left hand.

The campfire was in an uproar as Paul Davis leading his orchestra entertained the customers of Jake's Place.

The social star of Pinto, Miriam Livingood, appeared at an afternoon tea wearing a white suit with Lime colored accessories.

Betty Long is the latest word in efficiency and charm as secretary to the most outstanding lawyer in Cumberland.

The gypsy prophet hinted of wedding bells for June-those regular dates must mean something.

Harold Umstot is still an industrious worker at the Kelly. After work hours he dates that special girl friend.

One of the top-ranking baseball coaches of Mineral County is Edgell Long.

The visions of the campfire were very pleasent and promised gay futures for the Seniors of 1947.

June Senn Violet Bolyard Evelyn Baldwin





## Class History

Welcomed by Miss Etta Dunn in September 1936, Melvin Woolford, Richard Deremer, Paul Davis, Paul Twigg, Fred Wagoner, Robert Wetzel, Betty Jo Barnes, Thelma Wagoner, Dorothy Rexrode, Kathleen Anderson, Alma Adams and Helen Abe, began their quest for knowledge.

All of these have remained at Fort Ashby until now except, Helen Abe who left to attend school at Short Gap, Alma Adams who attended the second half of the first grade at Ridgeley, but returned to Fort Ashby for the second grade, and Donald Brooke who has been at Fort Ashby all the time except for three months spent at Frostburg school in the seventh grade.

These twelve were joined in the third grade by Bernard Douthitt who had attended Penn Avenue school, Cumberland for his first three grades, and Violet Bolyard who had spent her first three grades at Keyser. In the sixth grade we welcomed into our group Donald Linn from Cumberland.

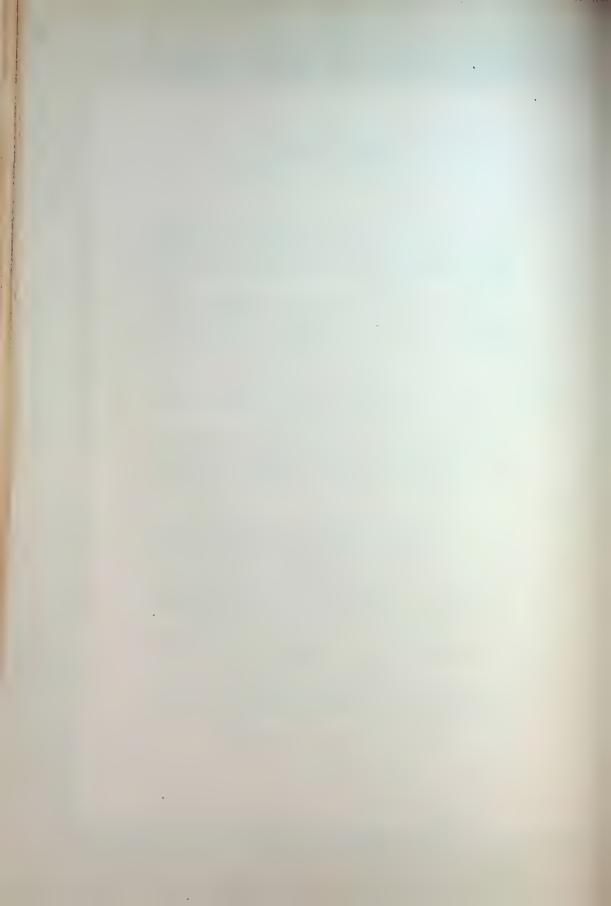
In the fall of 1942 we found Miss Warnick as our home room teacher and fifteen more students added to our class. They were Paul Shafer, Wendell Bohrer, Jean Borror, Miriam Livengood, Harold Umstot, Helen Abe and Imogene Cox from Short Gap. Betty Lou Davis, Betty Long, Edward Davis, Edgell Long, Evelyn Baldwin, Isabel Anderson, Helen Senn, June Senn and Earle Boore from Pattersons Creek.

Other members who have drifted from us during our journey are: Edna Cox, Francis Isner, Theodore Brelsford, William Chaney, Lola Brelsford, Donald Combs, Roy Flannagan, Ruth Fitchit, Raymond Baine, Helen Cook, Florence Lechliter, Francis Parker, Mildred Willison, Estyl Kimble, Kenneth Kesner, Charlene Clair, Ray Pyles, Lillian Weaver, Donald Pyles, Herbert Barnes, James Seeders, George Seeders, Louise Long, Dalton Lease, Thomas Welch, Pauline Smith, Ruth Funk, David Malone, Herbert Judy, Junior Judy, Eleen Evans, John Evans, Arthur Moreland, David Moreland, Mary Malone, Dorothy Kenny, Virgie Spencer, Dorothy O'Dell, Evelyn Miller, Marvin Logsdon, Ruth Barnes and Evangeline Twigg.

We as the Seniors of 46-47 are proud to say that we are the largest Senior Class ever to graduate from Fort Ashby High School.

The Seniors of 1947 sincerely hope that they have presented a good example to the lower classmen of Fort Ashby, that our school may grow in better sportsmanship and greater desire for learning.

Kay Anderson Helen Senn



### Last Will and Cestament

We, the seniors of 1947, being of sound mind, do solemnly swear this to be our last Will and Testament. To the members of Fort Ashby High we fondly bequeath the following:

Alma wills to Delores Lark her bottle of "neverfail" peroxide and her love for charcoal chewing gum.

Paul Shafer leaves his routine office and library visits to Alan Whitacre.

Betty Lou leaves her giggle to make life cheery after she is gone.

Bernard leaves his mischievous cackle to haunt Miss Pownall.

Melvin leaves his A's and musicaltalent to Harry Cumberledge.

Betty Long leaves her love of the Embassy Theater to Grace Shafer.

Donald Linn wills his tardiness and basketball ability to Jimmie Livingood.

Ed Davis would like to give his beard to his brother Jim.

Donald Brooke wills his farm talk to James Beatty Pyles.

Earle Boore leaves his talkative manner and wavy hair to Richard Pyles.

Dick Deremer wills his pipe and his way with the teachers to Vernon Shirley.

Paul Davis wills his dimples and his manner of walking to Leonard Evans.

Edgell Long gives his baseball pitching ability to Don Frankland.

Wendell Bohrer bestows his "Frankie" voice on Blair Brooke.

Paul Twigg wills his blush and chewing gum to Jimmie Davis.

Harold Umstot leaves his "snoozing" in class to Ernie Boatman.



Fred Wagoner wills his slow, witty remarks to Tommy Davis.

Bob Wetzel leaves his "funnie" books to Ernie Boatman.

Betty Jo willsher ability to stick to one boyto Betty Garland.

Violet Bolyard bequeaths herchemistry ability and a few pounds to Mary Lee Burger.

Evelyn Baldwin leaves her red hair to Evelyn Lease.

Thelma wills her big laugh and her ability to play basketball to Ethel Hepner.

Imagene leaves her "Encyclopedia of Acceptable Excuses after Midnight for Mom" to Jean Marker.

Jean Borror wills her singing ability to Marion Umstot.

Miriam Livingood leaves her chemistry book to the study hall at 10:00 in room #2.

Dorothy Rexrode leaves her love of Hillbilly Music to Helen Funk.

June Senn leaves her steadiness to Erma Welch.

Helen Senn leavesher behaviorin typing class to Dottie Twigg.

Helen Abe wills her habitof not getting in English assignments to Shirley Alkire.

Isabelle Anderson leaves her love of reading the sperts page to Dorothy Rinker.

Patsy Starliper wills hermarriage license to Doris Householder.
Kay just leaves with much rejoicing.

To our teachers we leave the memories of our antics and our inability to consider anything seriously. To Mr. Judy we leave the problem of getting next year's seniors to class on time.

To the future seniors we present our home room and our capable home room teacher. To the lower classmen we leave our books, teachers, and positions in all the sports.

Helen Senn Kay Anderson



### Who's Who

When Helen Abe came to us We thought her very quiet, But since she rides the Short Gap Bus Her laughter is our daily diet.

Our Alma has a graceful swing H er locks form a golden crescent; H er voice is like the breath of Spring And her talk--Well, it's incessant!

A gentle lass is the fair Isabel Who never seems in a hurry; Her quietness and sincere faith dispel The clouds that fret and worry.

Somehow we've learned to love Kathleen Her work is always well done; She has a smile that's often seen And her future will be a bright one.

Evelyn is small but full of vim Her eyes and ears are steady; When worthwhile knowledge is aswim She proves alert and ready.

When there's work to be done, we call Betty Jo Who plays, sings, or acts to befriend us; No wonder the students all love her so At games, her cheering's tremendous.

Our comedian and singer of note is Wendell Who loses his way between classes But when teachers find him, they know very well He'll be crooning to girls as he passes.

Violet is known by her soft spoken words In Chemistry class, she exceeds all; When she works, she moves with the grace of birds With a smile, she responds when you call.

There's always a breezy greeting from Earle When he may be quite sleepy and tired; Though his words pop and tumble and rumble and swirl His musical tones are admired.

We have in our midst a sweet singer named Jean Who works at high speed on assignments; With a mind alert and an intellect keen She will perfect the social refinements.



Deremer is serious at work--but at play He's a cut-up, a prankster frightful At business he's best, but his friends all say H e's an athlete and actor delightful.

Though Bernard is small, he's the busiest of boys Fun and Mischief twinkle in his bright eyes You'd never guess he could make so much noise If you judged him entirely by size.

Maxine is plump and blonde and cheery She finished her work and departed With her husband, Carl Bowman, who calls her deary And pledges his troth to remain true-hearted.

Donnie Linn is our Romeo Card Who thrills us by readings from plays He won first place as all tournament guard and will cherish athletics always.

Miriam is known by her musical drawl Which is very attractive and clever Her work is well done and she's ready at call To assist any helpful endeavor.

A diligent worker is Donald Brooke Who is busy from morn until night; He knows how to manage a team and can cook What appeals to a big appetite.

A small, dainty actress is blonde Imogene Who speaks with a soft, shy accent; She is very attractive as cheering squad queen We are sure for romance she was meant.

Betty Lou Davis knows how to serve eats When one needs her, she's always right there; She's friendly and kind to all whom she meets And she makes all decisions with care.

Edward pretends to be somewhat obtuse His books and his tests don't annoy him For he can invent any kind of ercuse When the lesson assignments grow dim.

Paul Davis is handsome and princely in bearing His musical skill on the trombone Attracts the fair sex who are always declaring, "He surely can make that thing moan."

A tall quiet blonde is Betty Long Whose smile is a constant delight; Her singing voice, though not very strong Is as sweet as a bird's song at night.

Edgell Long is our clever, dark eyed antic Who never worries or frets; He doesn't respond when girls feel romantic He turns away, smiles, and forgets.

Dorothy Rexrode is slender and shy She's glad to meet with school friends For when she is home, her work she will ply From morning till the day ends.

We always know it's Helen Senn When someone says, "Don't hurry!" For she believes there's time! It's when Folks rush and fume, there's worry.

June is happy at work or at play She's busy all the while She helps when she can, any time of the day And always comes in with a smile.

An athlete who rates is our playboy Paul Shafer A Beau Brummell with excellent poise; He's a prize at mixed parties, but we'd think him safer If he'd cultivate more homely joys.

Wherever Patsy was concerned Things always were "a cinch" Her handsome help-mate, we've just learned Is her husband, Marshall Lynch.

Paul Twigg is the quiet, easy kind Whose nature never varies; He's often late for he never can find His books which he seldom carries.

Harold's a busy man of affairs Who doesn't find time to be sleeping; He's often late and we don't think he cares For the money he makes, he is keeping.

Fred Wagoner surprised us in public speaking The applause for his speech on Conant Is proof that the country will soon be seeking A farmer with skill as proponent.

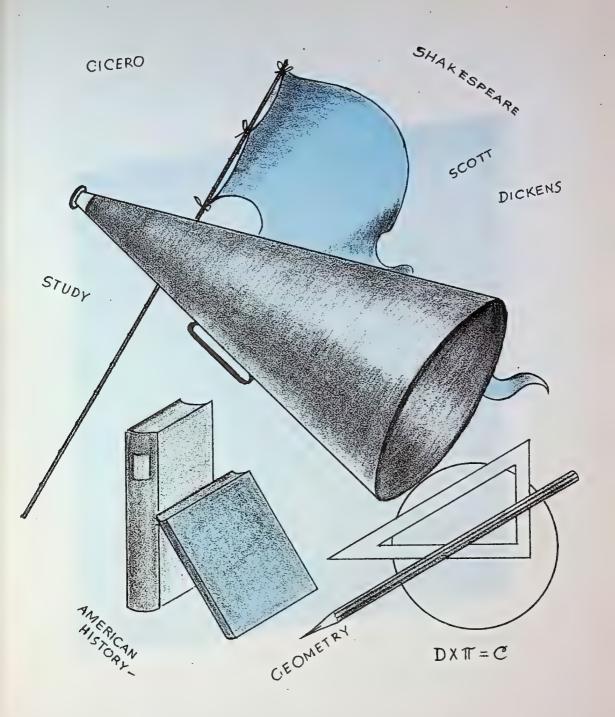
Thelma's sly smile is surely a winner She's so busy, she's never a bore; In basketball art she is not a beginner For her skill helped us pile up the score.

Our tall, slender wolf with the cunning blue eyes Proves quite active when trailing a fair maid; But when work's to be done, Bob's a bundle of sighs And prefers a cool place in the shade.

We have among us an unusual lad Whose voice and whose manners are charming He's an athlete, an actor; and we'd like to add Melvin's way with the girls is alarming.

> Helen Hannas Pownall Senior Class Officer





# JUNIORS





# Junior Class

Miss Dorothy Haines, Class Officer

First Row: Leonard Evans-Edith Malone-Jane Lynch-Mildred Pyles-Marion Umstot-Ethel Hepner-Winifred Ratcliff - Shirley Alkire-Grace Shafer-Miss Haines-Dale Blauch.

Second Row: Blair Brooke-Donald Frankland-Wanda Kesner-Ernest Boatman-Richard Pyles James Pyles-Fay Elder-James Davis-Mary Lee Burger.

# Keyser woman serving in Iraq

FOR THE POTOMAC HIGHLANDS

KEYSER — 1st Lt. Lee Ann Campbell, a 1996 gradu-ate of Keyser High School, is serving her country while stationed in Iraq with the U.S. Army.

sity where she received her commission through ROTC ate of West Virginia Univer-Campbell is a 2001 graduas an Army aviator.

at Fort Rucker, Ala., where she learned to fly Blackthen assigned to Fort Bragg, N.C., as a platoon leader in hawk helicopters. She was She attended airborne training at Fort Benning, Ga., and Army Flight School the 82nd Airborne Division.

Campbell is responsible for platoon leader,

30 soldiers and millions of dollars of helicopter equipment. She is qualified to fly lly on all of her platoon's is one of the Army's premier soldiers safe and mitigating The 82nd Airborne Division divisions and has a long lintroop transport, air assault, resupply and medical evacuation. While serving in Iraq, Campbell will plan and missions, thus keeping her the risk factors of combat. eage of proud paratroopers.

daughter of Richard and Sr. and Edna Patterson of Piedmont, Campbell's sister, Capt. Mara Campbell of Keyser and the grand-Keyser and the late Larry Campbell is the daughter of Tom and Paula Campbell Campbell Margaret



U.S. Amry 1st Lt. Lee Ann Campbell of Keyser stands in front of a Blackhawk helicopter. Campbell, a helicopter pilot, is now serving in Iraq.

Boggs and husband Capt. Ken Boggs, are also sta-tioned at Fort Bragg. Camp-

bell has a sister, Katie, who is a senior at Keyser High School. and run for the next four

(301) 538-2373 or (301) 257-4688 Those interested should call

Dining with Diabetes cooking series to begin weeks at each site. meet every Monday from 6 to 8 dle School and every Tuesday Dining with Diabetes will o.m. at East Hardy Early-Midrom 10 a.m. to noon at the Street Grove ty offices of the West Virginia University Extension Service, in partnership with the West gram, will offer a series of cooking classes this fall for Virginia Diabetes Control Propeople with diabetes and their

Methodist Church. The first class will begin Oct. 20 and 21.

BERG

Medical Clinic Hunt Club

family members or caretakers.

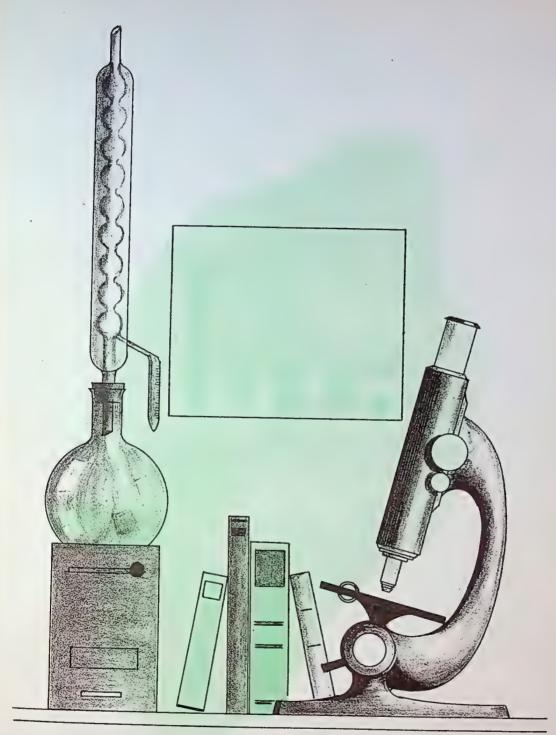
Umstot-Ethel

Haines-Dale

-Richard Pyles

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# SOPHOMORES





# Sophomore Class

Thomas Small, Class Officer

First Row: Virgil Dyer-Thomas Davis-Ray Elder-Maynard Davis-Dæell Boatman-Charles Orndoff-Carl Davis-Daniel Whitacre-Dalvin Wagoner-Elridge Leatherman.

Second Row: James Livengood - Donald Pownall-Jean Marker - Irene Kimble-Nina Kimble Phillis Sampson-Frances Broome - Doris Householder- Tina Kimble-Dottie Twigg-Helen Funk-Alan Whitacre.

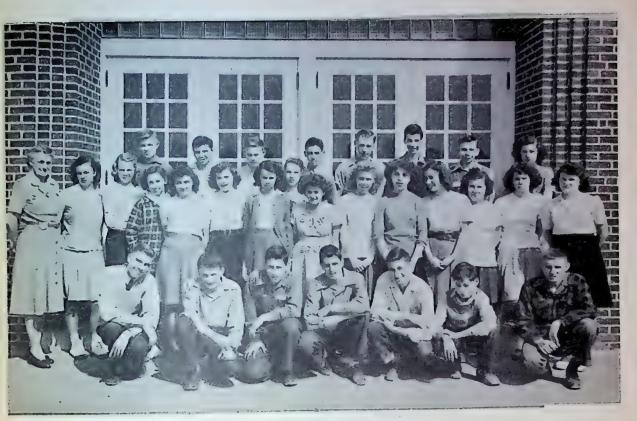
Third Row: Erma Welch-Jack Smith-EvelynLease-Harry Cumberledge-Victor Long-Dorothy Rinker-Vernon Shirley-Deloris Lark-Mr. Small.





# FRESHMEN





# Freshman Class

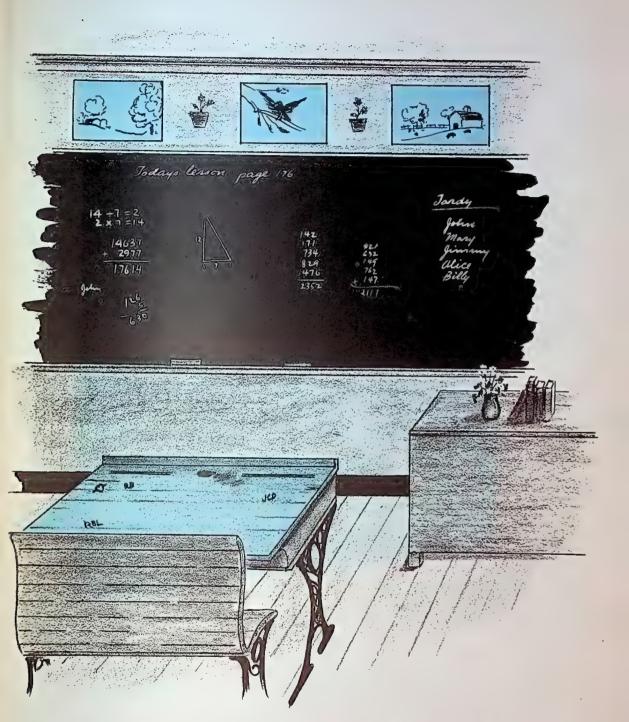
Mrs. Laura Marks, Class Officer

First Row:
John Wyer-Larry Hepner-Ronald Harper - Glen Long-Leroy Wagoner- Willie
Bower-Jack Brinkman.

Second Row:
Mrs. Laura Marks-Betty Garland - Elizabeth Wagoner- Delores Smith- Inez
Cox-Eileen Isner-Helen Pyles-Thelma Bosley-Janette Kimble-Sally Hershburger-Frances Anderson-Jane Seeders - Annabelle Miner-Janet Starliper
Norma Jean Evans.

Third Row:
Raymond Pyles - Richard Weese-Robert Dennison - Elwood Wagoner- George
Blauch-Richard May-Ray Pyles-Eloise Shipman.





# ELEMENTARY





Eighth Grade



Seventh Grade





ACTIVITIES





### "The Gypsy Troubador" Glee Club of '47

The Glee Club presented on March 27,1947"The Gypsy Troubadour," an operetta in two acts by Effa E. Preston and Don Wilson. The action took place on a fine June day at a Gypsy camp in a lonely countryside.

### Cast of Characters

Todorowendell Bohrer Maria
VarioDick Deremer
JaninaGrace Shafer
Elena
MarkoEarle Boore
RositaAlma Adams
NikoliMelvin Woolford
Tom GordonPaul Shafer
Mrs. Jean JerroldShirley Alkire
Henry ClaytonPaul Davis
Mary MatthewsHelen Senn
Clare ClaytonBetty Long

The chorus of Gypsie's consisted of the remainder of the Glee Club.

### Heart Trouble Jr. Play '47

The Jr. Class of 1947 presented on March 11, "Heart Trouble" a comedy drama in three acts. The entire action of the play takes place in a parlor of "The Buena Vista" hotel in a smart summer colony in the East.

### Cast of Characters

Ronald Randolph
Roy RobertsDale Blauch
Robert RobertsDonald Frankland
Martha Mason Mary Lee Burger
Zelda SandersonGrace Shafer
Rosa RosebelleShirley Alkire
Roxanne Raymond
Josephine Salisbury
Dursilla GibbsEthel Hepner
Claribel Baker
Nella Adams
OttoLeonard Evans

Jean Borror Isabel Anderson



### "The Thread of Destiny" Jr. Class Play of '46

The Jr. class of 1946, presented on April 18, at Fort Ashby High School auditorium, "The Thread of Destiny," a Civil War romance in three acts, by Lindsey Berbee. The play took place in Virginia during the Civil War.

### Cast of Characters

FannyKathleen Anderson	Uncle BillyWendell Bohrer
George WashingtonDick Deremer	Mammy DinahJean Borror
Betty MontgomeryPauline Smith	Peyton BaileyPaul Shafer
Edith ShermanThelma Wagoner	Louise LawtonIsabel Anderson
Mrs. MontgomeryBetty Long	Ralph FrancisPaul Davis
Colonel MontgomeryMelvin Woolford	Madge YoungPatsy Starliper
Virginia MontgomeryAlma Adams	A Union ScoutBob Wetzel
Beverly MontgomeryEdgell Long	Miss Melissy
Sally Ann FairfaxBetty Jo Barnes	MarthaViolet Bolyard
Laura Lee FairfaxImogene Cox	Jane
Tom RandolphEarle Boore	SusanMiriam Livengood
John Merival MortonDavid Malone	MarcellaJune Senn
Marion	Betty Lou Davis

### "Days O'Kerry Dancing" Glee Club of '46

The Glee Club of Fort Ashby High School presented on March 18, 1946, "Days O'Kerry Dancing", an operetta in two acts. The characters were as follows:

Granny O'MalleyAct 1) Eileen EagenAct 2)Alma Adams
Patrick O'Malley.Act 1) Pat O'MalleyAct 2)Wendell Bohrer
NoraJean Borror
Rose O'MalleyPatsy Starliper
Witch Thelma Wagoner
Irish DancerFrank Walker
Dinny ShelleyEarle Boore
Emerald Princess
Golden PrinceRichard Dereger
The Chorus consisted of the remaining members of the Glee Club.

Jean Borror Isabel Anderson





# Glee Club

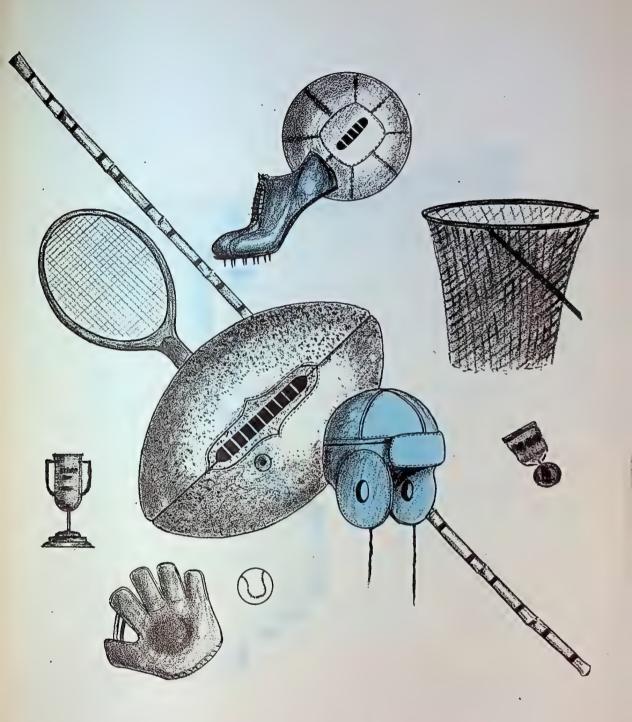
First Row:
Dale Blauch-Melvin Woolford-Wendell Bohrer-Richard Deremer- Paul Davis
Donald Linn-Paul Shafer-Donald Brooke-Harold Umstot-Robert Wetzel-Earl
Boore-Blair Brooke-Ernie Boatman.

Second Row:
Mary Lee Burger-Mildred Pyles-Jane Lynch-Evelyn Baldwin-Betty Lou Davis
June Senn-Helen Abe-Miriam Livengood-Imogene Cox-Betty Jo Barnes -Grace
Shafer-Edith Malone-Shirley Alkire-Marion Umstot-Miss Helen Pownall.

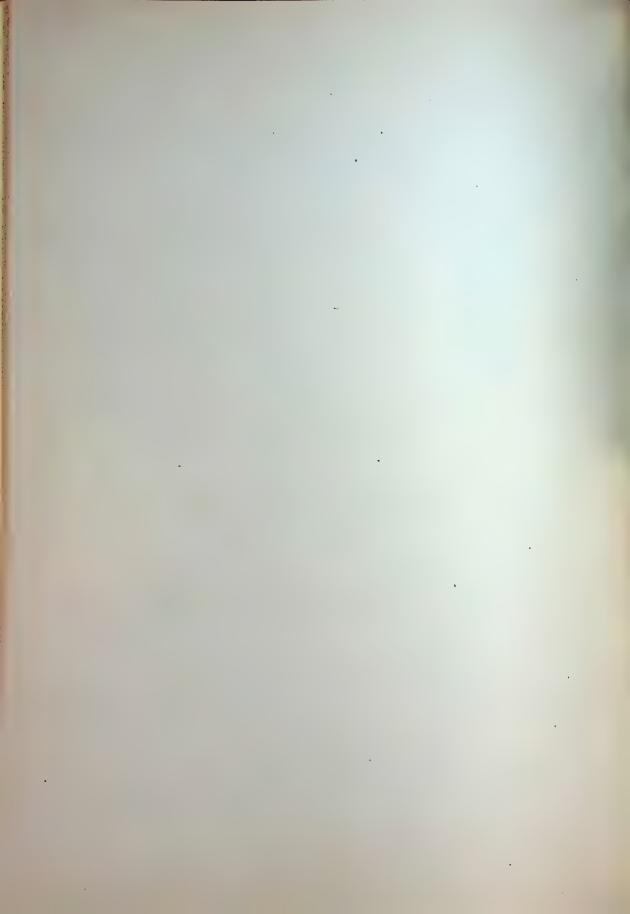
Third Row:
Dorothy Rexrode - Violet Bolyard-Isabel Anderson- Thelma Wagoner-Wanda
Kesner-Ethel Hepner - Winifred Ratcliff-Jean Borror -Kathleen Anderson
Alma Adams-Betty Long-Helen Senn.

Helen Hannas Pownall--Director





# ATHLETICS





# Cheer Leaders

Irene Kimble

Betty Jo Barnes

Alma Adams

Imogene Cox

Jean Marker

The above girls were selected as the best cheerleaders in the Sectional Tournament for which they were awarded the above trophy.





# Football Squad

First Row:
Tommy Davis-Glen Long-Vernon Shirley-Don Linn-Paul Shafer- Paul Davis
Fay Elder-Jimmy Livengood-Sonny Brooke.

Second Row:

Dick Deremer-Dick Malone, Mgrs. -Leonard Evans-Richard Pyles-Ed Davis Don Frankland-Ernie Boatman-Jim Davis-Dale Blauch-Earle Boore-Wendell Bohrer-Melvin Woolford, Mgr.-Coach Small. Harold Umstot is missing.

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0	Ridgeley	35
0	Keyser	21
0	Moorefield	59
0	Berkeley Springs	24
0	Romney	38
12	Petersburg	0





## Basketball Team

First Row: Bernard Douthitt-Dick Deremer-Dick Malone, Mgrs. Decond Row: Bud Dyer-Dale Blauch-Alan Whitacre-Capt. Donnie Linn-Paul Shafer-Tommy Davis-Coach Small. Third Row: Jim Davis - Ernie Boatman-Wendell Bohrer - Edgell Long-Bob Wetzel-Melvin Woolford.

19-27	OPPONENT Bruce Keyser Romney La Salle Barton	THEY 31-38 37-40 19-33 42-34	31-21	OPPONENT Paw Paw Ridgeley Elk Garden Piedmont Beall	THEY 33-17 33-37 30-20 34-33 59-36
52-37	Barton	30-31		Beall	59-36
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Tournament

37 Elk Garden 31 34 Keyser 61
Third Place Winners
59 Ridgeley 58

Don Linn - selected on all tournament team and also on PVC team. Paul Shafer - selected on second all tournament team.





# Girls' Basketball Team

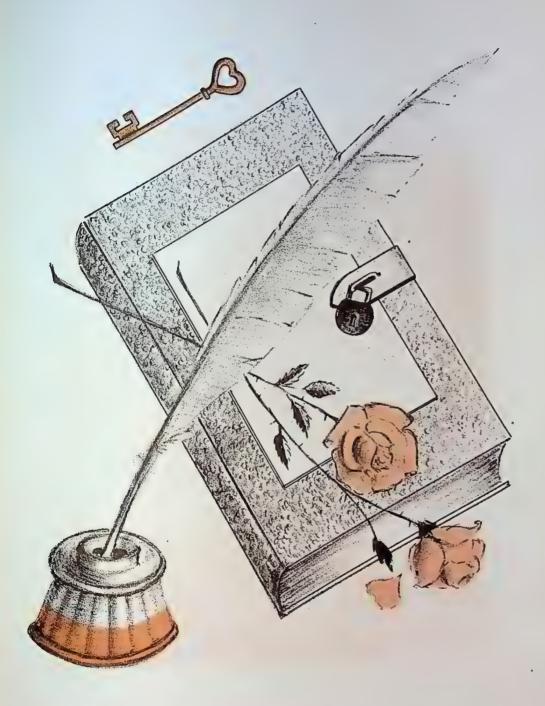
First Row: Delores Lark - Helen Senn -Alma Adams - Thelma Wagoner-Jean Warker-Irene Kimble-Mary Lee Burger-Kathleen Anderson.

Second Row: Betty Jo Barnes, Mgr.-Helen Funk-Dottie Twigg-Tina Kimble Edith Malone-Shirley Alkire-Nina Kimble-Grace Shafer-Coach Haines.

### Scores

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Who is he? He comes in late every morning.

With deep anguish, he begged her to consider her answer. "If you don't marry me I'll blow my brains out," he vowed. "Oh, would you, real-ly." she gurgled. "I "I

wish you would do it. It would be a great joke on father, he haven't any." he thinks you

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"I wish to thank pupil who left the this lovely crabapple on my desk during recess."

Pat-I asked you for a kiss. Alma-Well, what are you waiting for-an application blank?

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Ronald-May I kiss YOU?.. May I please kiss you...Say-are you deaf? Betty Jo-No, are you par-

alyzed?

"He's so changeable. First it's his ways.... it's his then mind.... and now it's his voice P

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Father-"What's the idea standing on the front porch with your boy friend?" Kay-"But, Dad, I only stayed for a second. Father-"Really? I distinctly heard the third, fourth and fifth."

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"The thing I look for in a man is appearance... the sooner the better."

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Paul T.-If I knew you better, I'd kiss you.

Jean B.-And if you'd kiss me, you'd know me better.



Fred-There's only one good thing about school. Paul T .- What's that?

Fred-You can't have vacation withoutit.

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Earle-"Drinking makes you look beautiful." Imogene-"But I haven't been drinking." Earle-"I have."

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F.W .- We're going to have swell evening, ar. I've got Sugar. three seats to the movies.

K.A.-Three seats? F.W.-One each for your Dad, your Mom and your kid brother.

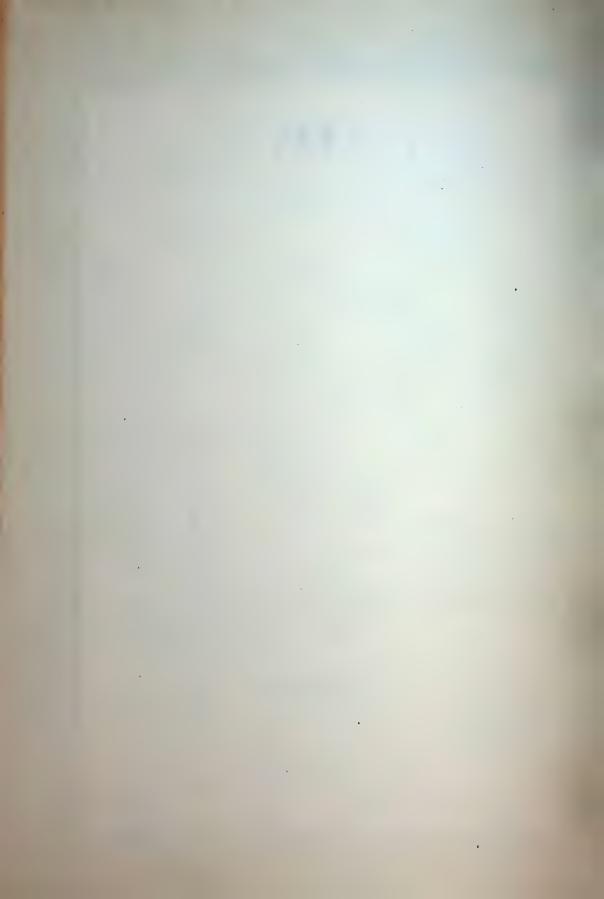
> Miss Swecker-Betty Lou, where are the Kings of England crowned? Betty Lou-On their heads.

Miss Swecker-"Alma, what does VJ stand for? Alma-Van Johnson.

Lynn-"I suppose I'm only a little pebble on the beach of your life."

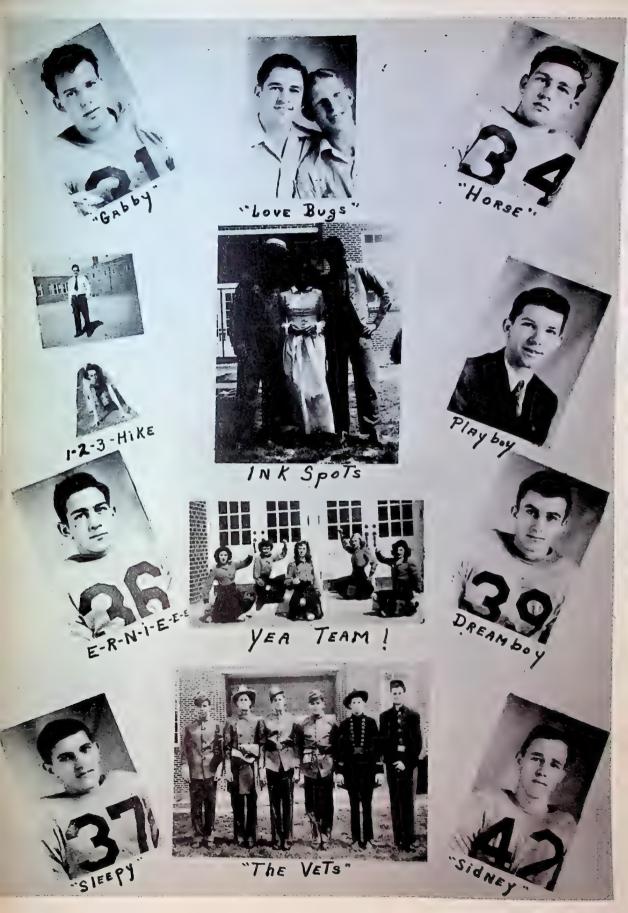
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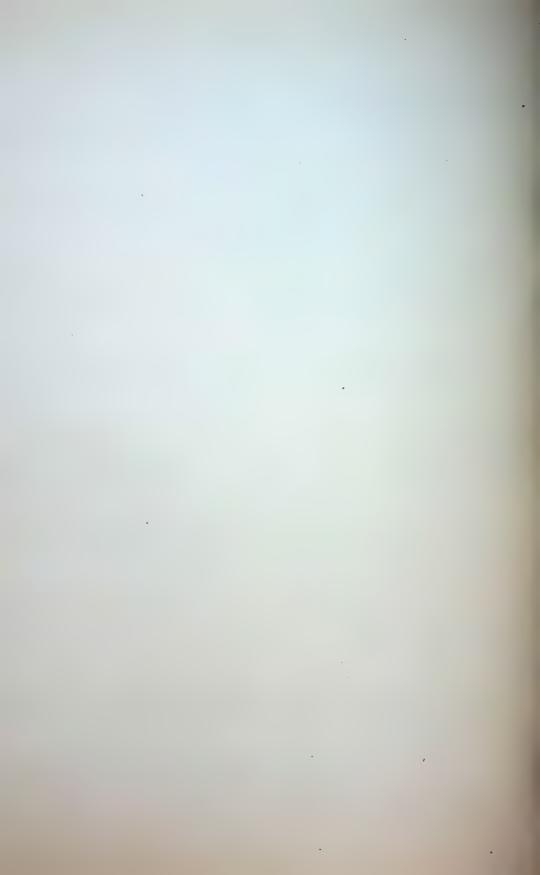
Violet-"You might stand a chance if you were a little boulder."











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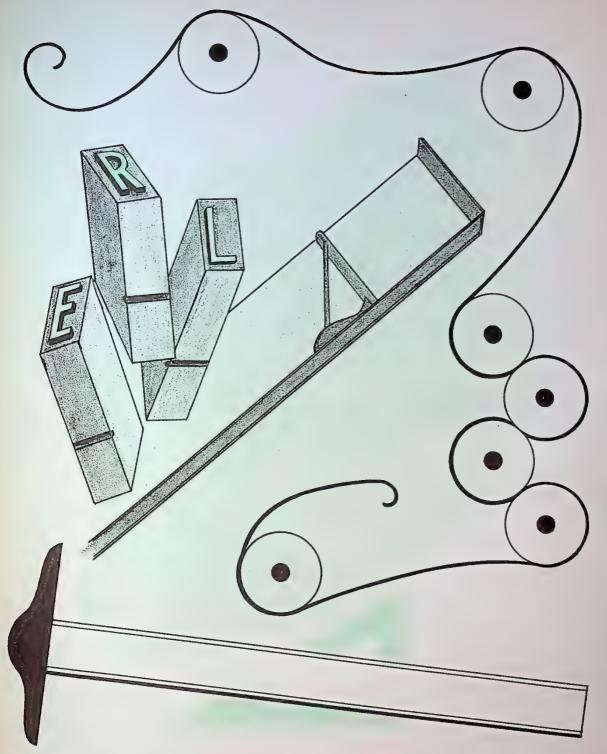
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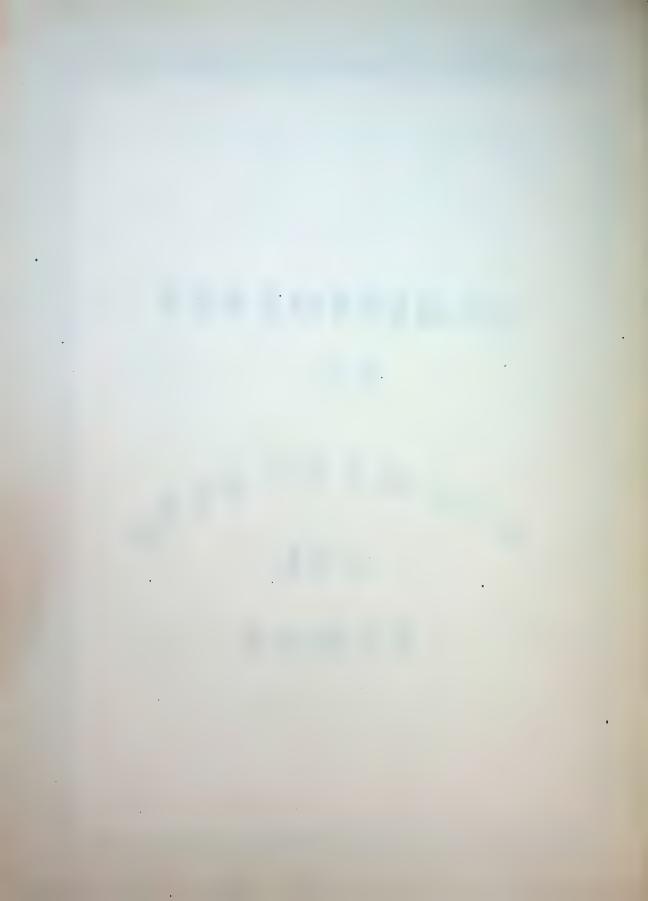
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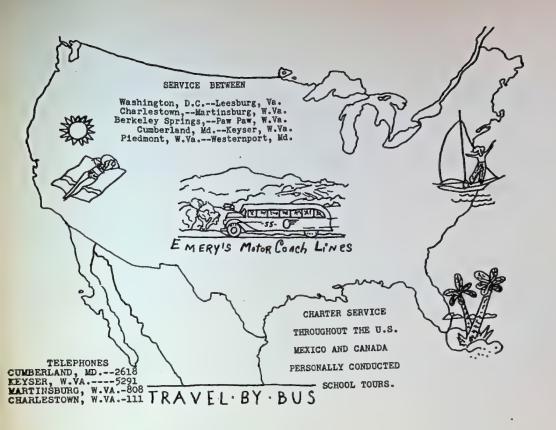
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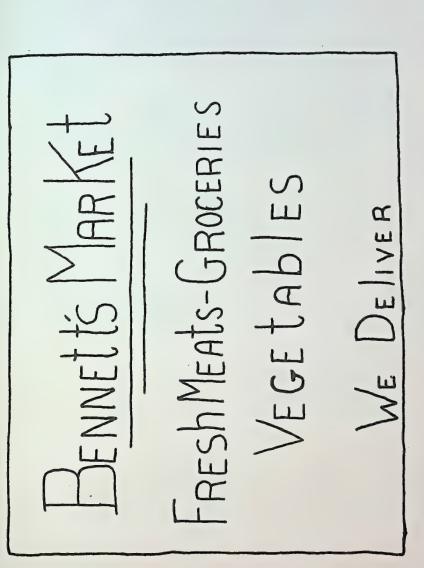
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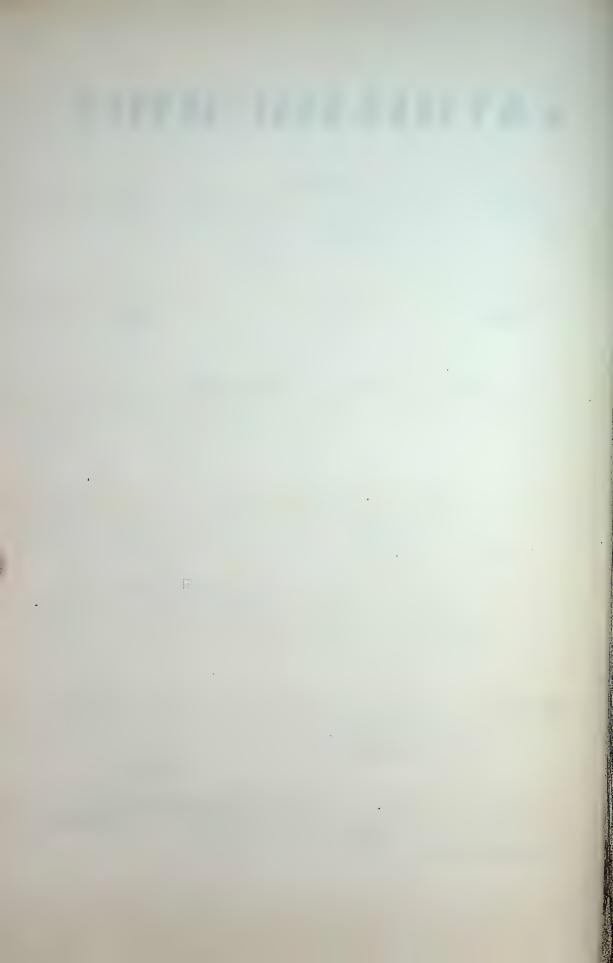
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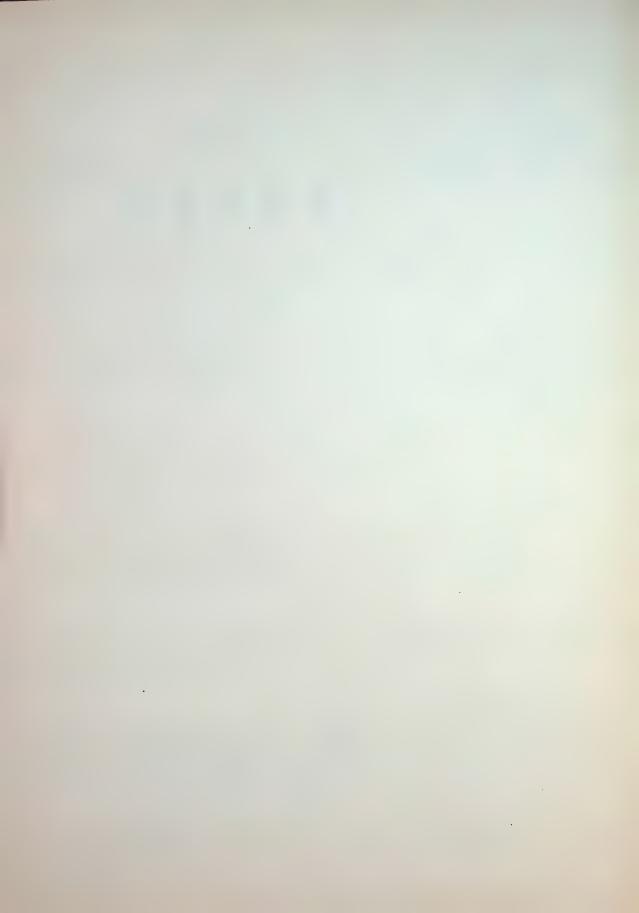
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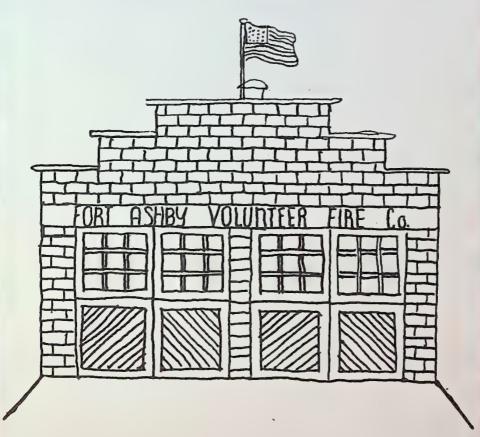


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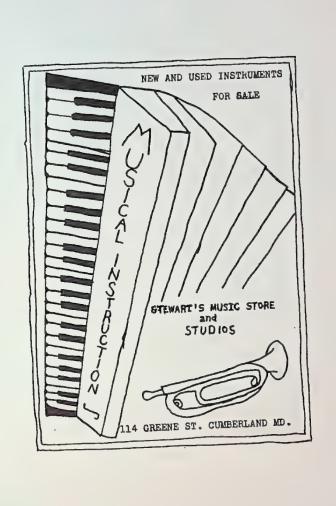
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